

REPUBLICAN CONVENTION

At Indianapolis Named Four Taft Delegates at Large From Indiana.

THE COMPARATIVE STRENGTH

Of Taft and Roosevelt Forces Shown By a Vote of 772 to 667.

The Republican state convention at Indianapolis today elected Charles W. Fairbanks and Harry New of Indianapolis, James E. Watson of Rushville and James D. Oliver of South Bend delegates to the national convention. They were the Taft candidates. The convention met this morning at 9:30 and Will R. Wood of Lafayette was elected chairman and C. F. Bicknell of Ft. Wayne secretary, the Taft forces carrying the organization. The comparative strength of the Taft and Roosevelt forces was indicated in the vote on the majority and minority reports from the committee on credentials. The Taft or majority report was adopted by a vote of 772 to 667. By this report the contested Marion county delegation containing 127 Taft men and 7 for Roosevelt was seated. The contests in other districts were decided mainly for Taft delegates. The minority report charged principally fraud in Marion county primaries. The report of the resolutions committee was adopted and indorsed the present administration strongly. The delegates to the national convention were elected this afternoon.

Mrs. H. C. Hoffman celebrated her birthday Saturday, and was agreeably surprised Saturday evening by a number of out-of-town relatives coming to spend Sunday. Her guests were Mrs. Howard Slaven and son of Pittsburg, Kans., her brother, Will Gilman, and sister, Mrs. Anna Lickling, Mrs. Lucinda Gilman and Mrs. Chris. Westmire and daughter, Leona, of Seymour.—Franklin Star.

H. D. Borchering, accompanied by his niece, Miss Gladys Kyte, left this morning for Moore, Montana. Miss Kyte will spend several months on her reservation she recently purchased. Mrs. H. R. Kyte went as far as Indianapolis with them.

About eleven o'clock Sunday night F. H. Green, George Lockman and all the night yard men at the B. & O. saw what they thought was an aeroplane in the southwest. They saw the red and blue light and watched it for about an hour.

The Rev. F. A. Steele, formerly pastor of Wesley Chapel in this city, superintendent of the Seymour district, was the guest today of the H. C. Clippinger at Trinity parsonage.—New Albany Tribune.

Among those at the state convention today were O. H. Montgomery, J. M. Lewis, E. A. Remy, J. H. Andrews, Fred Everback, George Peter, D. B. Vance, J. W. Hays, M. F. Davis and Charles Benton.

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A MOVEMENT

Which Has a General Interest Has Been Started.

A proposition which is of interest in Seymour and Jackson county has been advanced in Terre Haute recently. The Terre Haute school board has started a movement for a new law under which the million and a half dollars of state school funds may be apportioned and has asked each of the 1,100 township trustees, each of the city and county school superintendents, to join the movement. Members of the state board of education have said they will favor the measure, and State Superintendent of Instruction C. A. Greathouse is to confer with the local school authorities. The present law is an old one, and the money is apportioned on a basis of school enumeration made each April, the enumerators counting every person between the ages of 6 and 21 years. It is proposed to make the basis the average attendance at schools. The enumeration costs each year in the aggregate \$75,000. Taking the average attendance from sworn records would cost nothing.

J. A. Allen, business director of the Terre Haute schools, said: "The cities of the state have an average attendance of 49 per cent. of enumeration, the townships 56 and the towns 83. The cities receive an undue share of the funds because after boys and girls finish school in the rural districts of the townships or the small towns many go to the cities to work, and there are enumerated until they are 21 years old. A number of counties with a large enumeration have as low attendance as 33 per cent. One county in 1910 had an enumeration of 20,000 and an attendance of 11,000, and another county with 20,000 enumeration had an attendance of 6,000, and each received \$36,200 from the State fund. In this way some counties and some cities receive almost enough from the state fund to cover all school expenses and avoid levying the local tax."

Robert N. Guthrie of the I. C. & S. arrived today from a trip to Washington, D. C., Maryland and points of interest in the east. While in Washington he attended the burial of the bodies of the men who lost their lives on the battleship Maine.

G. F. Pomeroy and family are moving from the residence north of J. B. Shepard's on Poplar into a cottage farther down the street. Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Greeman will occupy the house they are vacating.

A Methodist cottage prayer meeting will be held Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 at Mrs. William Matlock's, corner of Third and Broadway streets. Mrs. Ewing Shields will be the leader.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Randerson of Oklahoma City, Okla. are the guests of Mrs. Howard Brown. Mrs. Randerson was formerly Miss Lula Stevens and was married a year ago at Mrs. Brown's home.

Forty-hours devotion commenced this morning at the St. Ambrose Catholic church and some special services will be held. Several visiting priests are present.

Jacob Deputy of Jennings county was here today. He reported that some of the roads between his home and Seymour are almost unpassable.

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THE JUDICIAL PRIMARY MAY 9

Date Set By Democratic County Committee at The Meeting Monday.

THREE POSSIBLE CANDIDATES

Agreed To The Time Set.—No Candidates From Lawrence County.

At the meeting of the Democratic county committee Monday afternoon the formal announcement was received from Judge Joseph H. Shea that he had retired from the race for renomination for circuit judge, he having been honored by the state convention with a nomination for appellate judge.

Delegates to the judicial convention were elected some time ago and instructed for Judge Shea but as his retirement left the field open with a possibility of there being several candidates, the committee decided on a new deal and ordered that a primary be held. May 9 was agreed upon as the time for holding this primary. This will be the date for the first registration of voters under the new law and it was figured that the double barreled attraction would be responsible for a heavier vote at the primary.

All of the possible candidates were before the committee and agreed to the proceedings. Three men lined up in the class of possibilities. O. O. Swails acknowledged that he would be a candidate. D. A. Koehenour was not so positive but thought it probable he would be in the race. S. A. Barnes stated that it was not at present his intention to be a candidate but did not know what conditions might arise and so to be on the safe side acknowledged that he might be considered a possibility.

Word was received from Lawrence that that county had no aspirants for the honor and would accept the man selected at a primary in Jackson.

The rule was adopted that the candidate winning at the primary shall have the county vote as a unit.

PETIT LARCENY

Theft of One Dollar Bills Is Charged.

Bruce Gorbet and Lawson Banks, the latter a boy, were arrested Monday evening on a bench warrant. They were taken to Brownstown and will have to answer to a charge of stealing five one dollar bills from a cigar box in Joe Hibner's store. The affidavit was sworn out by Hibner. He alleges that Gorbet and Banks came into his store recently to buy some goods and that while he was filling the order they stole his money.

BORN.

To Mr. and Mrs. George Steinkamp, corner of Brown and Walnut streets, Tuesday morning, a girl.

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GIVEN SURPRISE

Mrs. Catherine Hauenschild Seventy Years Old Monday.

Mrs. Catherine Hauenschild was 70 years old Monday and in honor of the anniversary the children and other relatives, numbering about thirty, gave her a surprise in the evening. She had no thought of such a gathering and was much surprised when the company came in after supper. For her and the guests the evening was full of pleasure. Refreshments of ice cream, cake and sandwiches were served. She received numerous presents.

Mrs. Hauenschild has lived in Jackson county all her life, having been born near Brownstown. She is a woman of many lovable traits of character and has many friends who she has won during her long and useful life. She has seven children, John, George, Henry and William Hauenschild, Mrs. Chas. Hunterman, Mrs. L. B. Thompson and Mrs. W. H. Reynolds of Seymour, and Mrs. Oscar Griffin of Valonia. All of them attended the surprise excepting the latter who was unable to be present on account of sickness.

Forty Miles Wide.

The Mississippi river was forty miles wide at Cairo, Ill., today. The lowlands in Illinois, Missouri and Kentucky along the Mississippi and Ohio rivers were inundated. A foot of snow fell yesterday. Reports from Cairo said that the water was flowing over the new government levee at Point Pleasant, Mo., one hundred miles south, and it was feared the entire country would be flooded.

At Hickman, Ky., the levee was showing signs of weakening. Eight hundred sand bags were being used in strengthening the levee. Flood conditions were also threatened at Memphis and at points along the Missouri river. In Missouri many farmers have abandoned their homes and live stock is being driven to the hills.

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Guy Overmeyer Killed.

Mrs. Denny Clouse of Reddington has received word of the death of her nephew, Guy Overmeyer, at Muskogee, Okla. The parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Overmeyer, formerly lived here, and Guy was known in Jackson county and has a host of relatives and friends here who will be shocked to hear of his tragic death.

The following is a clipping from the Muscogee Mail:

Guy E. Overmeyer, age 20 years, a hostler's helper at the M. O. & G. shops was killed Tuesday morning by being caught between the tenders of two engines.

The clearance between the two tracks was not sufficient to allow the body to pass, and as young Overmeyer was standing on the engine tender as the locomotives passed by another, he was knocked off and was mangled before the other members of the crew were aware of the accident.

The remains were removed to the home, 203 East Jefferson street, and the funeral services were conducted from the Christian church Wednesday afternoon, Rev. Mr. Aydelotte officiating.

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A FEELING OF BITTERNESS

Over The Outcome of Race For Democratic County Chairman Monday.

TREACHERY OPENLY CHARGED

Against Some of Jackson Township Committeemen By Burkart and Friends.

The defeat of C. W. Burkart for chairman of the Democratic county committee by Ross Robertson, a Brownstown attorney, has been the subject since of much discussion in political circles here. The defeat came as a shock and a big surprise to the Seymour city treasurer, his friends and the leaders who had helped frame up his campaign so carefully and who were absolutely sure of his success. Burkart and his friends are very bitter over the result and are open and emphatic in charging it up to treachery at home. They declare that the ten committeemen from Jackson township had pledged themselves to Burkart but that when the committee decided to elect by secret ballot two of the Seymour men voted for Robertson. The two deny the charge but Burkart insists that he has absolute proof as to where all of his sixteen votes came from. Some of his advisers had warned him of the "double cross" and urged him to ask for an open ballot in the committee but he declared he had confidence in all of the men who had pledged him their votes. There are 34 committeemen and 33 of them were either present or represented by proxies. A number of the latter were held by Burkart. When he left Seymour Monday morning it was stated that with the ten votes from this township he had enough pledges and proxies to elect, in fact that he already had 19 votes. When the ballot was taken and the result was announced as 17 to 16 in favor of Robertson the anger of the defeated candidate's friends was intense and they at once began the job of locating the treachery which they charged was evident. After the election of a chairman Albert Kasting of Seymour was elected treasurer of the committee. F. W. Wesner of Seymour was elected secretary but declined and William M. Isaacs was named.

Series C.

Series C of the Cooperative Building and Loan Association stock will start Monday, April 1, 1912. Another good opportunity to invest a small amount each week regularly where it will pay for a home or accumulate for business or other purposes. See the secretary, Thos. J. Clark, Opera House block, for particulars. ald&w

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WRONG IMPRESSION

Frank Killey of Jackson County, Writes Letter.

Recently there appeared in the Indianapolis Star a statement regarding an alleged cerebro spinal meningitis situation in Jackson county in which Dr. Hurty was credited with declaring there would be an investigation as a result of a letter he said he had received from Frank Killey from near Tampico. It was claimed Killey had said ministers in his neighborhood had been holding meetings in violation of quarantine laws, causing danger of the spread of the disease mentioned.

Tuesday a letter appeared in the Star in which Killey made the following statement:

"I read an item in the Star concerning a letter that I wrote to Dr. J. N. Hurty about cerebro spinal meningitis in my neighborhood.

This item in your paper is misleading, as I never wrote or told Dr. Hurty or any one else that our preachers down here were to blame in this matter. In justice to myself, I would like this matter to be set straight. The doctors, at least some of them, said that this disease is noneontagious, and that there were no quarantine regulations against it.

Now, if Dr. Hurty wants to jump on any one, it seems to me that the preachers are not the ones. Are the preachers the ones to go around hunting up contagious diseases, and are the preachers the ones to quarantine the same? It was always my idea that the doctors had a duty along this line."

W. C. T. U. Meeting.

The Women's Christian Temperance Union will meet with Mrs. J. H. Boake, Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 and a full attendance is desired. The following is the program:

Subject—"Medical Temperance." Devotion.....Mrs. Everhart Repeat in concert, Prov. 20-1

Business

Address—"Hereditary effects of Alcoholism".....Rev. T. C. Smith

Paper—"Soft drinks and their use".....Mrs. Gerrish

Leaflet—"Do alcoholic liquors aid digestion?".....Mrs. Nichols

Piano solo.....Edna Smith

Quartette

Presbyterian Meetings.

Meetings are being held in the Presbyterian church every evening this week except Saturday. Rev. John W. Findley, pastor of the Bedford Presbyterian church is present, and will preach again this evening. He filled the pulpit last evening to the entire satisfaction of the large congregation present, preaching from the text, "I Have Kept The Faith." The sermon was a strong one, and all were delighted with the gospel presented in a very pleasing manner. Miss Adda Gasaway will sing a solo at the service this evening and the choir will render splendid music. Let the church be filled at 7:30 tonight.

New Store To Open.

A. Barskin, manager, will open up a store April 6 in the building formerly occupied by Tovey shoe store, known as the Philadelphia Bargain Store. He will carry a line of men's furnishings, clothing, and ladies' and men's shoes. He has a store at Martinsville which is proving a great success and he hopes to have the same here.

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## Heart to Heart Talks.

By EDWIN A. NYE.

### TO A FATHER.

You say Jimmie is twelve? Then it is high time to make Jimmie your chum.

While he was more baby than boy it was proper his mother should have personal charge. He could tell her everything and she could help him in everything. She knew where he was and what he was doing.

It is different now. The boy is big enough to be called James, and secretly he longs for long trousers. Unconsciously perhaps he is tugging to get loose from his mother's apron strings.

He begins to be a man. This is your chance to get close to him. Jimmie wants a mate to confide in. You can be the mate. He would rather be your pal than to take up with any other person on earth.

The danger is this: He may become ashamed or afraid to confide in you. And if he is either he may take up with some harum scarum of the street.

Some fathers are too dignified or stern, proceeding on the theory that a son must recognize the parental authority. They lay down the law and punish the least infraction of it, believing that will keep the boy straight. Such monarchical government will doubtless keep him from wrongdoing—where it can be found out.

You see, the danger is that Jimmie, being afraid of you, may become a sneak. He may not tell you the truth. He may deceive you. He may become not only a sneak, but a liar.

Also—If Jimmie is ashamed to tell you about some things he may do some things of which he should be ashamed. My dear sir, it is possible to so hold your son that he will tell you everything—everything. Nothing is too delicate for a father and son to talk about—if they are chums.

Jimmie must know from some source the things you know about life. How much better you should tell him than some other! Do you want your boy to face temptation ignorantly or wrongly informed?

What are you here for? To make money for Jimmie? No. You are here to make a man of Jimmie. If he fails in that it will largely be your fault. If he succeeds it will be the joy and the triumph of your life.

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### Wisdom for the Worker.

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### The Frankness of Women.

Though the male was never taken at his own valuation by women, for the first time in modern history women are beginning to say so.—Morley Roberts in "Thorpe's Way."

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### ANOTHER GUAM.

Before the war with Spain probably not a dozen citizens of the United States were cognizant of the existence of Guam, says the Cleveland Plain Dealer. When it was first mentioned as one of the spoils of war it was considered a fit topic for jokes. But that it had and has some strategic value there is no doubt. It was worth having as a way station, as long as the United States had assumed the Philippine responsibility. It is now declared that the United States is thinking of making a claim to the possession of Palmyra Island. If Guam was insignificant, Palmyra is infinitesimal. It lies about 600 miles south of Hawaii, and is not far off the course that will be followed between the Panama canal and Australia. Great Britain claimed the undesirable place, more than half a century ago, and, as it was quite without value, no one questioned her possession. Now the United States has discovered that the kingdom of Hawaii put in a claim for Palmyra some years before the British. On the basis of this Hawaiian claim this country, as Hawaii's heir, is thinking about requesting Great Britain to vacate. Intrinsically Palmyra Island isn't worth a building lot in the center of the Sahara. But none the less it may make Palmyra famous as a bone of international contention.

At last the worm has turned. The theater is no longer to submit supinely to the onward march of the moving picture drama. Noting the world-embracing sweep of the photoplays, the stage has taken thought how best to compete with it, and after all manner of comparisons, odious, irvidious and otherwise, has about come to the conclusion that the reason for the expanding popularity of the picture houses must be the fact that the audience is freed from superfluous conversation on the stage. The first retaliatory gun has just been fired in New York. A wordless play has been produced to packed houses, and the upholders of the animate stage are rejoicing over a battle half won.

A New York butcher has been sent to jail for a particularly mean method of cheating. It was his practice when selling poultry to weigh it with a lead sinker concealed inside, the sinker being provided with a string by which he pulled it out before handing over the bird to the customer. But a sharp customer seized his bird before the butcher took it from the scale to wrap it up, and, seeing the string, pulled it out and found the sinker and "had the law" of the butcher. On investigation other similarly loaded poultry was found in the shop.

It's well to be clean, but if you wash your rugs with gasoline, be careful. A Springfield, Mass., merchant, who is fastidious, had his office rugs scrubbed with gasoline and then gone over with a vacuum cleaner operated by electricity. The cleaner collected gasoline fumes which were ignited by an electric spark, whereupon there was an explosion and a blaze necessitating a call on the fire department.

A woman in Kansas City has applied for a divorce, pleading that she has to wear the same dress in which she was married in England seventeen years ago. When women serve on juries or on the bench it will not take them long to decide such cases against the defendant or to suggest laws which permit of his being sent to prison for the rest of his natural life.

A western woman lecturer on perfect love is suing for divorce. Her husband was mean enough to tell her she had better stay at home with her own family than to go abroad lecturing other people about the perfection of theirs, which, of course, constituted enough extreme cruelty to justify her plea.

Save your raisin seeds. A scientific investigator in California, where 3,000 or 4,000 tons of them are thrown away every year, has demonstrated that they have commercial value, and that sirup, oil, meal and tannin can be made from them.

The meanest thief has been found in New Jersey. He sold coal which had been given to a hospital. Naturally, this was looked on as a burning shame.

That inventor who jumped from the Eiffel Tower to test his safety parachute for aviators evidently failed to make it fool proof.

A school for umpires is to be established in Boston. They are to be taught, among other things, how to dodge pop bottles.

A New York high school holds the record. The commencement gowns of the girl graduates cost 49 cents each.

Butter has as many ups and downs as a man with a game leg.

Any hen can lay a golden egg.

## Striking Features of the New Spring Suits

THERE is one good point about the spring suit this year: coats are made in lengths to suit the figure. The stout woman is not given a short coat, while the slight woman who looks her best in a hip length jacket may have it. While the short coats are decidedly to the fore, the hip and the three-quarter lengths are shown, too.

As to skirts, suit skirts, those designed for street wear beneath long coats or for house wear, all are narrow, though some are slashed at the left or at the side, revealing a drop skirt sometimes most elaborately trimmed with braid. Others are cut in the simulated tunic effect.

Summarizing the salient features of the spring suit are the following ideas: The hipless figure continues; there is a gradual return of the normal waist line; the sleeves are three-quarter and full length and usually set in plain at the armholes; there is a slight increase in skirt width, but the straight line continues. The suit jackets vary in length, though the latest Paris report is that the tendency is entirely toward the extremely short jacket. A great many of the tailored suits are semi-tailored; there is a use of fabric trimming in form of self-covered cords and folds. There is a large use of silk, particularly taffeta, for these demi-tailored models.

Cutaway Effects More Popular. As the season advances the vogue for cutaway effects seems to be on the increase. Many of the late models are cut away to an extreme point in the back and fastened just below the bust in front. Shopkeepers realize, however, that a garment of this type is extremely difficult to wear and they are modifying these cutaway coats so as to make them a bit more practical. The majority of the cutaway models shown in the shops are not cutaway until they come below the waist line, and then are cut in either round or pointed effect, both being in favor.

As trimmings are confined largely to the collars, revers and cuffs of the suits, these are given a great deal of attention, and it is frequently the cut of a collar or a rever that makes or mars the entire costume. Shawl collars are again seen, but in most instances they do not have as large revers as in the last season. The notched collar and the small revers of mannish cut also are seen on many of the models and are well liked.

Collars and Cuffs of Muff. Pique, as well as lingerie, collars and cuffs made of fine mull or batiste edged with lace also are employed with excellent effect. Most of these collars are either basted or buttoned on so that they may be readily tubbed. Machine and hand embroidery is used on some of the suits, but only sparingly.

In the plain tailored suits the regulation coat sleeve is seen almost entirely. In the dressier models they are making a number of set in sleeves, cut with a little fullness below the elbow and finished off with a deep cuff. These are usually three-quarters or seven-eighths length and are especially designed for warm weather wear.

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Serger and whipcords are the fabrics that are finding favor at the present time. In silks a number of taffetas are shown, but these, it is expected, will have greater vogue as the summer season advances.

An attractive navy blue mohair serge I saw the other day emphasized the use of tailor's braid and tailor's buttons of black silk, which outline many of the seams and panels of the coats and skirts. The jacket was twenty-seven inches long and was of straightline cut. The center back panel extended through from the shoulders, while across the front and sides the basque was set on. The lines were emphasized by the braid binding and by the trimming of the braid bound buttonholes. The sleeves were of straight coat cut, medium large, seven-eighths long, and finished with a deep backward turning cuff, braid bound and trimmed with buttons.

Lace Collar in Open Pattern. An interesting new feature of the model was an open pattern lace collar which was in shawl shape cut low, descending considerably below the normal waist line in front. This collar was formed of heavy crochet point in champagne color. It was edged with narrow platings of black tulle, the coat lined with heavy navy blue satin.

The skirt was simple, in three pieces, center back panel and two side panels, which overlapped each other to form the front. All overlapping edges were bound with braid and at the fronts and the sides a tunic effect was given by the trimmings of braid and buttons. The skirt was only medium narrow, measuring fifty-six inches at the bottom. It was hung from a belt about two and one-half inches deep.

Among the new belts are inch wide belts of fine Morocco leather in high colors, the design being formed by interlacing narrow strips of cut leather. The interlacing is copied from ancient leather work and is most artistic, the belt thus treated being simple in effect, while at the same time presenting a novel feature in ornamentation.

Other Forms on Girdle Order. Other forms of leather belts, more on the girdle order, are several inches wide at the back and curve slightly in the front. So far the use of leather belts has been confined largely to the simple jackets, many of which are in the belted style.

The old-fashioned straight around leather belt does not yet appear strongly on the horizon of fashions. Its appearance, however, is suggested in many ways and there is a strong possibility of development in that direction. An attractive suit shown on this page has the cutaway effect. The jacket has a twenty-six-inch length and has a semi-belted effect, suggested in cut and trimmings. The fashionable scallop is also used as a trimming motif. There is a shawl collar having oriental embroidery. The skirt is tunic effect with the new and popular balanced side seam trimming.

Pasteboard Pyramids. Quite the newest conceit in imported place favors has appeared from abroad in the form of miniature pasteboard pyramids, with tiny flowering plants seeming to have grown in them. The decoration of the holder simulates porcelain, with a color note to harmonize with that of the artificial blossoms surmounting it. A set of these favors in yellow, for instance, in accord with the chosen color scheme for the table setting, will give a far prettier effect than a favor introducing its color solidly. With these novelties there come tiny white place cards to be slipped among the flowers.

## Salvation Through Christ

By Rev. James M. Gray, D. D.,  
Dean of Moody Bible  
Institute, Chicago

TEXT—Who his own self bare our sins in his own body on the tree, that we being dead to sins, should live unto righteousness; by whose stripes ye were healed: For ye were as sheep going astray; but are now returned unto the Shepherd and Bishop of your souls.—I Peter 2:24-25.



Peter in this chapter is speaking to Christians who are undergoing persecution and suffering because of their faith at the hands of the pagans, and he is urging them to have their manner of living 'honest,' open and above board in the presence of their calumniators, whose own conversion may be brought about by it. He teaches that Christians should submit themselves to those in authority over them, whether governmental or industrial, for the Lord's sake, and they should do it even in the case of those masters that are not good and gentle, but "forward."

In the course of the argument he adduces the example of Christ, who, although without sin, was reviled, but did not revile again, and whose sufferings were carried to the extent of the cross. The description of these sufferings is fourfold, each one of the four particulars illustrating a different aspect of the salvation men may receive through him.

### The Strange Law of Tokyo.

First, he tells us his sufferings were substitutionary, "Who his own self bare our sins in his own body on the tree." It is not long ago since there was an ordinance in Tokyo, Japan, to the effect that no foreigner could take up his residence there without providing for himself a native substitute, who, in the event of his violating any law, would suffer the penalty in his stead. As soon as he arrived the question would be put to him, "Who stands for you?" Jesus Christ stands for all who put their trust in him.

In the second place, he tells us that the design of Christ's sufferings was that men "might live unto righteousness," that is that they might become enabled to live that kind of life set before them in the preceding verses. I know a lad who, when he does anything very questionable and his conscience begins to trouble him, always asks his mother, "Will that keep me out of heaven?" If the answer is in the negative he is satisfied. But the salvation of Jesus Christ is not for the purpose merely of getting into heaven, but of living right at the present time.

### The Croquet Ball.

There used to be a rule in croquet that when you struck your opponent's ball you were "dead" upon it so far as that play was concerned. The Christian believer may be said to be represented by the ball, while sin is the mallet in Satan's hand. Sin has struck the believer once in the person of his substitute, Jesus Christ, and can not strike him again. When Christ died, he died to sin in the sense that it could never again bring him to the place of judgment, and it is the teaching of the New Testament that the believer died in him in the same sense. It is this fact which sets the believer free to live a life of righteousness, and it is the apprehension of it as a fact through the Holy Spirit, that communicates the power and inspiration to him so to live.

The third thing Peter tells us about the sufferings of Christ is their necessity. "Ye were as sheep going astray." Travelers in the Orient tell us that the tendency of a sheep is always to go farther and farther astray; and so man, if left to himself, never will return to God of his own accord. No process of education or evolution will ever bring him there. Man is not a member of a rising but a fallen and a falling race, and he who delays to receive the son of God now will be farther away from him tomorrow than he is today. Hence the urgency of the gospel invitation that "now is the accepted time, today the day of salvation."

Finally, he teaches us the result of Christ's sufferings. "Ye are now returned to the Shepherd and Bishop of your souls." "Returned" signifies that man in Christ is brought back to that place of fellowship with God he enjoyed before the fall. Indeed, his fellowship now is on a surer foundation. There was a contingency in the case of the first Adam, but there is none in that of the second. The latter has kept the law as well as paid the penalty for those who receive him, and their restored condition is thus eternally secure.

Let me exhort you therefore to receive the Saviour by a definite act of faith today, that the peace of God may become yours—the peace that springs from the knowledge that your sins are forever put away. And thus receiving the Holy Spirit as the further gift of God, you will have power to live a life of righteousness unto him.

## Accident Fails to Get Harry Knight's Nerve



Harry Knight, who will drive a six-cylinder Lexington racing car in the second annual 500-mile International Sweepstakes race at the Indianapolis Motor Speedway next Memorial Day. Knight was a victim of one of the most thrilling accidents ever seen at the Speedway, when during the last 500-mile race he skidded into the pit walls and demolished his car together with that of Herb Lytle and escaped practically uninjured. Knight ascribed the cause of his accident to the fact that he was trying to turn his car sufficiently to keep from running over a mechanic who had fallen from a car just ahead of him in the race. An effort was made to obtain a Carnegie medal for the young driver. The car which he will drive next Memorial Day is similar in type to the car which he drove last year for the Wescott Company.

## GERMAN AUTO TO START

SPENCER WISHART ENTERS HIS MERCEDES IN 500-MILE RACE.

Wealthy Young Sportsman to Drive Own Machine in Long Race at Indianapolis Speedway on Memorial Day.

Spencer E. Wishart, of Port Chester, New York, the wealthy young sportsman who drives Mercedes racing cars, has entered the 500-mile International Sweepstakes race at the Indianapolis Motor Speedway next Memorial Day.

Wishart's entry names the same car which the Easterner drove in the last 500-mile race, finishing fourth. The bore of the cylinder is 5.1 inches and the piston stroke is 7.1, giving a piston displacement of 583 cubic inches, which is seventeen cubic inches below the limit of the race. Wishart's car is almost a duplicate of the Mercedes entered by Ralph DePalma. Both of these cars made a wonderful showing at Savannah in the recent Vanderbilt and Grand Prize races; Wishart finishing third in the Vanderbilt, while DePalma finished second in the Vanderbilt and third in the Grand Prize.

At this time last year there had been but four entries made to the first 500-mile race, so the prospects for the second one seem even better than those of 1911. The other entries to the race consist of two Stutz cars, entered by the Ideal Motor Car Company, of Indianapolis; a Fiat, entered by E. E. Hewlett, of Los Angeles, Cal., with Joe Matson named to drive; two Case cars, entered by the J. I. Case Threshing Machine Company, of Racine, Wis. Harvey Herrick and Louis Disbrow have been nominated as the pilots of the two Case entries. There are also two Nationals and a Lexington.

The fact that such famous drivers have been entered early in the year, and that all the cars so far named are among the foremost racing machines in the world, makes it seem certain that the field of starters next May will have even more class than the bunch that took the word from starter Wagner last year.

Owing to the fact that there have been so many early requests for seats and parking space reservations for the next race, the Speedway management opened the seat sale on January 15. From that time on seats may be obtained for the next Memorial Day event either in person or by mail. Indianapolis hotels have been besieged with reservation requests already and are booking their rooms for visitors next May. The Speedway has arranged to provide 4,000 rooms in private homes in addition to the hotel accommodations, so that a crowd of 150,000 persons may be cared for easily.

One of the interesting features in connection with the next 500-mile race is that the foreign manufacturers have taken a greater interest than ever before and many requests for particulars have been received from European motor-car makers.

The entry list so far for the race shows that eight American cars have been entered as against three foreign machines. All of the foreign cars are privately owned, DePalma's mount being the property of E. J. Schroeder, of New York; Matson's Fiat being owned by E. E. Hewlett, of Los Angeles, and Wishart's Mercedes his own personal property. This leads the racing enthusiasts in the country to believe that motor car racing is becoming more of a sporting proposition than ever before, and eventually it may become a competition entered only by cars owned privately without affiliation with factories or dealers.

## Chinese Hair Band



Photographed by Underwood & Underwood, N. Y.

The current events in China are responsible for this Chinese embroidered hair band, which takes the place of the theater cap. The colorings are gorgeous, those for the blonde having the black band, flowers and butterflies in natural colors, and those for the brunette being pale colored ground with appropriate designs.



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### THE FOURTH DAY OF FIGHTING

Surrounded by a Superior Force, the Flower of the Madero Army Is Being Cruelly Punished by Rebel Forces Which Have Encompassed Federal Camp at Corralitos and Are Picking Off the Soldiers at Leisure.

Mexico City, March 26.—A special to El Imperial from Torreon, headquarters of the federals in the north, says they were completely routed by the rebels near Corralitos.

Jimenez, March 26.—Trapped near Corralitos by between 3,000 and 4,000 rebels, with General Blanquet, the commander, wounded, the 2,000 federal soldiers are fighting desperately to escape the cordon and retreat to Torreon. Their losses have been tremendous and they are without food and water. Four hundred dead are supposed to represent the federal loss, 100 the rebel loss.

When the fourth day's consecutive fighting opened the rebels practically had the federals surrounded on all sides and the federals were weak and tired, even at the beginning of the fight, as they dared not prepare anything to eat during the night, the rebels firing every time a campfire blazed. Generals Salas and Blanquet were both in command of the federals when the fighting opened. The report that Salas was wounded was unfounded. Blanquet was wounded during the day, however, leaving Salas alone in command. The only hope of the federals throughout the day was that General Aubert would be able to come up with reinforcements and break through one of the rebel lines, so that the federal army might retreat. General Salazar, in command of the rebels, expressed no fear of this, however, as Aubert and his 500 cavalymen, who are en route from Mapimi, Durango, were reported at Gerro Gordo, thirty miles from the scene of the fighting.

The fighting has been desperate and much bravery has been shown on both sides. The dead and wounded is extremely heavy. The rebel wounded have been brought back to Jimenez

at intervals. The federals are compelled to leave their wounded on the field under fire of the rebels. Each succeeding report from the battlefield was that the federals were literally cut to pieces. The rebels have held the best positions in command of the hills east and west, pouring a constant fire from artillery down on the federals. Machine guns have also been kept working into the federal ranks from the north, with the rebels in the rear also keeping up a constant fire.

The rebels through their position have been suffering little, while food, water and ammunition have been almost unknown things to the federals.

### HORRID FATE

Gary Steel Workmen Incinerated in Stream of Molten Metal.

Gary, Ind., March 26.—Trapped in a river of molten iron, Upman Edmondson, aged thirty, was burned to death and several others injured when a vessel containing twenty-five tons of hot metal overturned at the blast furnace department of the Gary works of the Illinois Steel company. An explosion followed the contact of the molten metal with water, and much machinery was wrecked. Edmondson was burned to a crisp, only part of his body being recovered. The molten metal spilled over several feet of railroad tracks.

### New Dreadnought is a Goer.

Rockland, Me., March 26.—The battleship Florida, a ship constructed in a government navy yard, was put through her paces over the measured mile course for standardization purposes, and the highest speed she made, that of 22.54 knots an hour, is not only the fastest ever attained by an American dreadnought, but it is claimed to be a record for her class throughout the world.

### WEATHER EVERYWHERE

Observations of United States weather bureaus taken at 8 p. m. yesterday follow:

Temp. Weather.	
New York..... 30	Pt. Cloudy
Boston..... 26	Clear
Denver..... 28	Pt. Cloudy
San Francisco. 48	Rain
St. Paul..... 28	Snow
Chicago..... 36	Pt. Cloudy
Indianapolis... 33	Cloudy
St. Louis..... 46	Clear
New Orleans... 58	Pt. Cloudy
Washington... 40	Clear

Cloudy, probably rain.

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At Cincinnati.  
Wheat—No. 2 red, \$1.05. Corn—No. 2, 74c. Oats—No. 2, 55½c. Cattle—\$3.25 @ 7.25. Hogs—\$3.50 @ 7.85. Sheep—\$1.25 @ 4.00. Lambs—\$3.00 @ 7.25.

At Chicago.  
Wheat—No. 2 red, \$1.04. Corn—No. 3, 70c. Oats—No. 2, 55½c. Cattle—Steers, \$4.00 @ 8.75; stockers and feeders, \$4.00 @ 6.50. Hogs—\$5.50 @ 7.55. Sheep—\$2.25 @ 4.75. Lambs—\$4.25 @ 7.85.

At St. Louis.  
Wheat—No. 2 red, \$1.03½. Corn—No. 3, 72c. Oats—No. 2, 54½c. Cattle—Steers, \$5.00 @ 8.50. Hogs—\$4.00 @ 7.75. Sheep—\$2.25 @ 6.00. Lambs—\$4.50 @ 8.00.

At East Buffalo.  
Cattle—\$4.25 @ 8.00. Hogs—4.50 @ 7.85. Sheep—\$2.50 @ 6.25. Lambs—\$5.00 @ 8.25.

### THE COLONEL IS NOT PERTURBED

Woman Falls to Ruffle Roosevelt Composure.

### MAUD MALONE TO THE FORE

Suffragette With a Record For Disturbing Political Meetings Creates a Storm When She Breaks in on a Roosevelt Gathering With the Inevitable Question: "How About Votes For Women?"

New York, March 26.—While he was swinging through the third of his six speeches on the east side and in the Bronx last night a suffragette rose up in the middle of the audience in Maennerchor hall and girded at Colonel Roosevelt. The colonel was warning voters that his side was not going to get a square deal in today's primaries.

"How about votes for women, Mr. Roosevelt?" said the lady, with a flick at her tight combed hair. It was Maud Malone, who holds all records for interrupting politicians.

The colonel stilled the rising tumult, waved the chairman, Oscar S. Straus, back to his chair, and replied: "Madam, I have asked that you women shall be allowed to vote to determine whether you shall vote."

At the tail of the laughter that shook the 3,000 people in the hall, came the voice of Miss Malone, quavery, but persistent:

"Mr. Roosevelt, Mr. Roosevelt—" Her voice was drowned by cat calls, hisses, jeers and a medley of noises. She had champions, who planted themselves in front of her with clinched fists. Dozens of men started up, threatening to put her out.

"Let me speak," began the colonel, but the band cut him short with a rendition of "Take a Little Tip From Father." Police whistles sounded. Mr. Straus, considerably agitated, looked about for men behind the whistles. The hisses resembled steam escaping from enormous valves. Finally the colonel got a word in edgewise.

"I am particular always to treat any woman with the utmost respect," he ventured, "but—"

"No square deal, Mr. Roosevelt!" quavered the lady.

By this time everybody in the hall was on his feet. Miss Malone, planted

firmly, glared at the colonel. The colonel glared back with compound interest. Then a gray special cop charged through the press and persuaded Miss Malone that it was time to go. As she disappeared Colonel Roosevelt said: "This is probably a put-up job on the part of our opponents. I was delighted to answer the question she put in good faith. Anything the women of this country want I want them to have. (Applause.) American men are pretty good fellows, and their wives are better fellows. (Soprano cheers.) Let the women vote first to see whether they want to vote. If that is not the square deal I don't know what is. (Applause.)"

### AMERICAN TEACHER KILLED BY CHINESE

State Department Is Investigating the Tragedy.

Washington, March 26.—W. J. Calhoun, American minister to China, has been directed by the state department to have the American vice consul general at Hankow proceed at once to Ichang and investigate an attack made on a party of American teachers, one named Hicks being killed.

The report of this incident reached the department in a cable dispatch from E. C. Baker at Chung King, west China.

Chinese authorities anticipating possible complications over the incident, promptly set about to pursue the pirates, and their capture is expected soon.

Hicks is from Oshkosh, Wis., where his father, E. R. Hicks, resides. The state department wired Hicks, asking what disposition he desires to have made of the body of his son.

### THEY RESENT IT

Miners Not Favorable to Possible Executive Interference.

Cleveland, March 26.—Interference by President Taft in the threatened coal strike in the anthracite and bituminous fields will be resented by mine union officials, President White of the mine workers and other union leaders declare. This position was taken on the eve of the reconvening of the interstate bituminous conference of miners and operators, when renewed efforts to reach an agreement in the soft coal fields will be made. The operators believe a settlement will be reached.

### Advertised Letters.

The following is a list of letters remaining in the postoffice at Seymour, Indiana, and if not called for within 14 days will be sent to the dead letter office.

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The list of Democratic judicial delegates selected some time ago looked too much like a group of Swails' special admirers to satisfy some of the other ambitious ones and as a consequence the committee was induced to take the props out from under what looked like a sure thing frameup and order a primary. The report has recently been in circulation that at the time the delegation was selected for Shea it was really picked more for Swails than for Shea's benefit.

The road roller which had been greased thoroughly and prepared for action by Burkart and the local leaders with the intention of using it to make a grease spot of the Brownstown statesman and his chairmanship ambitions, got headed in the wrong direction at the critical moment and Burkart was caught for the rolling out process.

No Indiana district will be more creditably represented in the Republican national convention than the fourth will be with Judge Montgomery as a delegate. He has been highly honored by the party several times and the party has never been disappointed in him. Jackson county people were gratified by the honor given him by the district convention.

As Seymour was not allowed any Democratic county nominations, it was supposed that the chairmanship sop, which doesn't pay would be thrown this way. But it seems Burkart was not on the program. But the Seymour Democrats ought not feel discouraged. They will be allowed to vote.

C. W. Burkart's friends are promising a future settlement for the treatment he received Monday.

### Closing the Doors.

I have closed the door on Doubt;  
I will go by what light I can find,  
And hold up my hands and reach them out  
To the glimmer of God in the dark and call;  
"I am Thine, though I grope and stumble and fall,  
I serve; and Thy service is kind."

I have closed the door on Fear.  
He has lived with me far too long.  
If he were to break forth and reappear,  
I should lift my eyes and look at the sky,  
And sing aloud, and run lightly by.  
He will never follow a song.

I have closed the door on Gloom.  
His house has too narrow a view.  
I must seek for my soul a wider room,  
With windows to open and let in the sun,  
And radiant lamps when the day is done,  
And the breeze of the world blowing through.

—British Weekly.

### What Mother Said.

There's a golden mine of wisdom  
In the things that Mother said,  
And each word's a shining nugget  
To enrich the path we tread.  
Through we falter by the wayside  
Where vain hopes our footsteps led,  
Memory spurs a fresh endeavor  
For some thing that Mother said.

When the rose of Youth is fading  
In the garden of our dreams,  
And the mists of Time are shading  
Stars that burn with fitful gleams,  
Hope will blossom as a lily;  
Skies will azure radiance spread,  
When the heart recalls the wisdom  
Of some things that Mother said.

Homely maxims heard in childhood  
Leave their impress through the years.  
When Life's joys have well-nigh vanished  
In a wilderness of tears;  
Yet the suns will rise in splendor  
To dispel the doubts and dread,  
And the heart grow warm and tender  
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—Alexander Groves, in New York Press.

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## RAILWAY ENGINEERS CONTEMPLATE STRIKE

Eastern Managers Reject Demands of the Brotherhood.

New York, March 26.—A denial of the demands was the reply of the eastern railroads to the demands of the locomotive engineers for a general increase in wages, which was handed to the conference committee of the engineers by the committee of twelve railroad managers and vice presidents in joint conference. Figures were given to show that a standardization of the wages on all the roads, which was demanded by the engineers, was impracticable, and it was stated that these demands, if they could be granted, would be followed by demands by the other railroad employees, which if granted would be disastrous to the railroads themselves.

When the committee of the locomotive engineers came back to its headquarters, Warren S. Stone, grand chief of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, called a meeting for a committee to act on the reply of the railroads. He was asked if the committee had power to call a strike.

"It cannot call a strike," he said, "but it can order that a referendum vote be taken on the question of calling a strike."

Asked if he was disappointed at the reply of the roads, he said: "I am never disappointed and never surprised. I have outlived all that." The demands, he said, affected 25,700 engineers who were in the brotherhood and some 2,000 non-union engineers. The railroads on which they worked did more than half the traffic of the United States.

Grand Chief Stone said it would take a two-thirds vote of all the men involved to declare a strike. Even then he had power to veto a strike if a strike were declared. It was said that mediation under the Erdman act probably would be resorted to in case of a strike vote. This act cannot be appealed to until a crisis is reached. Such a crisis would be reached if the engineers voted for a strike.

## BEEF TRUST CASE

Jury in Federal Court Deliberating on Verdict.

Chicago, March 26.—"Did these defendants conspire and combine in restraint of trade?"

In this terse question Federal Judge Carpenter put the fate of the ten Chicago packers who have been on trial for fifteen weeks in the court squarely up to the jury, and the body is deliberating on its verdict.

Judge Carpenter began his instructions to the jury immediately following the concluding address by Government Attorney Pierce Butler of St. Paul. The instructions of the court were long, precise, and delivered slowly.

Judge Carpenter in his charge included an interpretation of the Sherman anti-trust act, the law under which the packers have been prosecuted, and a somewhat extended review of the evidence.

### Made Him an Exile.

New York, March 26.—A divorce suit which caused Ulysses Monroe Roberts to be dropped from his job as vice president of Chase, Roberts & Co., varnish manufacturers, and to leave the state, and which followed an early morning visit by a raiding party to an apartment house in West Thirty-eighth street, resulted in a decree of divorce for Mrs. Jeanne Roberts.

Albert Fetting, a Richmond (Mich.) farmer, committed suicide after he had drawn his savings, \$1,000 from a bank and had burned the money. He had sued his wife unsuccessfully for divorce and burned the money for fear she might get it.



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Elder G. M. Shotts was in Columbus today.

Mrs. J. H. Carter spent today in Indianapolis.

Mrs. M. Hall went to Brownstown this morning.

Mort Crabb made a business trip to Columbus today.

H. P. Miller was in North Vernon today on business.

E. E. Hamilton was in Brownstown today on business.

Miss Ora Armstrong went to Columbus this afternoon.

Blish Thompson went to the Indianapolis convention today.

Ralph Applewhite was here from Brownstown this morning.

Mrs. J. H. Cunningham was here from Brownstown today.

H. G. Stratton attended the auto show in Indianapolis today.

Prof. H. C. Montgomery was here from Hanover this morning.

Mrs. Demas Perlee went to Indianapolis today to visit relatives.

C. J. Remy of Columbus is the guest of Postmaster E. A. Remy and family.

Travis Trumbo attended the Republican convention at Indianapolis today.

Mrs. Allen Swope was the guest of Mrs. Jerry McOsler in Brownstown today.

Mrs. J. T. Schuler and daughter were here from Crothersville this afternoon.

Misses Millicent and Nora Cadem and Nellie Fenton spent today in Louisville.

Mrs. E. W. Peters and children returned last night from a visit in Noblesville.

John Casey returned to Bloomington today after visiting Dr. and Mrs. W. M. Casey.

Mrs. Owen Mahorney and son of Louisville came today to visit Miss Edna Elliott.

N. V. Trautman of Medora, passed through here this morning on his way to Cincinnati.

Charles Rottman a student of I. U. is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Rottman.

Mrs. U. F. Lewis was called to Milan today on account of the serious illness of her mother.

J. D. Bobbitt, one of the dispatchers at the B. & O., made a business trip to Indianapolis today.

G. H. Anderson went to Indianapolis this morning to attend the Republican state convention.

P. A. Niehter, Rudolph Buhner and Will Kaufman went to Indianapolis today to attend the Auto show.

Mrs. A. B. Robbins of Brownstown, is visiting her sisters, Mrs. Walter Johnson and Mrs. David Keller.

Miss Etta Hornady, L. A. Hornady and their guest, Miss Mayme Hagel, of Kurtz, spent today in Louisville.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Milburn returned this afternoon from a two weeks' visit in Cincinnati with their parents.

F. W. Wesner, O. O. Swails, Albert Kasting, J. A. Cox and E. P. Elsner attended court at Brownstown today.

Mrs. Susan Allen and Mrs. Joseph Crawford of Tunnellton are visiting at E. C. Pinchon's and Arthur Jerrell's.

Mrs. Jennie Mitchell of Noblesville came Monday evening to spend a few days the guest of Mrs. Wash. Vanmeter.

Miss Louise Mason of Columbus, who has been visiting Miss Mary Jackson since Sunday, returned to her home today.

W. A. Carter, C. D. Hopewell, and John Cobb went to Indianapolis this morning to attend the Republican state convention.

Mr. and Mrs. George Thompson came from Mitchell this morning to spend a few days with her mother, Mrs. Anna Pomeroy.

Misses Myrtle Huckleberry, Joanna Newby, Minnie and Lois Shepard went to Cincinnati this morning to see the "World in Cincinnati."

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Stratton and Mrs. Jerry Anderson arrived home Monday from Ft. Meade, Fla., where they have been spending a month.

Mrs. Mollie Flowers left this morning for Chicago after an extended visit with Mrs. A. P. Charles. She will stop over in Indianapolis to visit her sister.

At a meeting of the school board tonight it will be decided whether the local teachers will attend the Southern Indiana Teachers' Association at Indianapolis this week.

The Devoir Society of the Christian church will meet tonight with Mrs. O. H. Reinhardt on East Third street. Business of importance.

Edgar Aldridge was taken to Brownstown this morning to serve out a fine of \$1 and costs for intoxication.

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## Easter will be Here in Two Weeks



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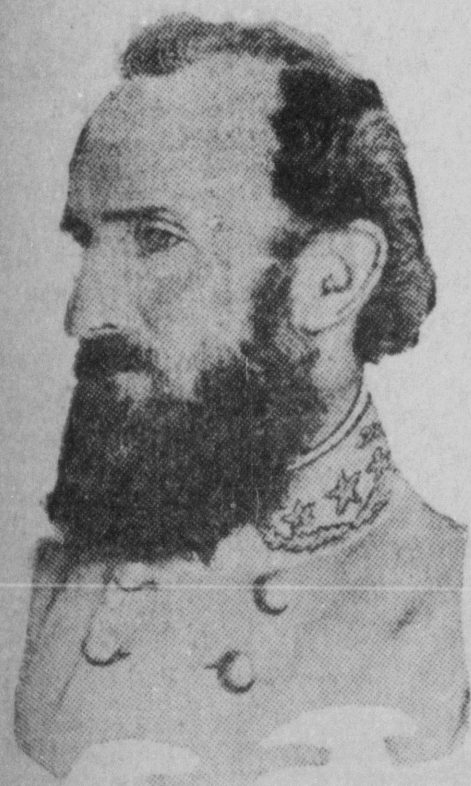
**"Stonewall" Jackson's First Campaign In the Shenandoah Valley --- The Noted Confederate Forced to Retreat by an Indiana Colonel---A Real Stone Wall Decides the Issue at Kernstown, Jackson's First Pitched Battle---A Confederate Gunboat Fleet Repulsed at New Madrid, Mo---England Decides That the Federal Blockade of Southern Ports Is Legal. Farragut's Warship Held Up at the Mouth of the Mississippi by Impassable Sand Bars.**

By Captain GEORGE L. KILMER, Late U. S. V.

ON the morning of March 23, 1862, General "Stonewall" Jackson sent a message to his chief, General Joseph E. Johnston, saying:

"With the blessing of an ever kind Providence I hope to be in the vicinity of Winchester this evening."

The forces in "Stonewall's" ranks numbered about 5,000 men and consisted of three brigades of infantry and one of cavalry. The Federal forces in the Shenandoah valley at the time consisted of two divisions of General N. P. Banks' corps, under General James Shields and General A. S. Williams. Williams' command was moving out of



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GENERAL T. J. ("STONEWALL") JACKSON, U. S. A., AS HE APPEARED IN 1862.

the valley, and Shields' troops were posted around Winchester watching Jackson.

The game to be played was this: The Shenandoah valley, a generally open country, threaded by the Shenandoah river and extending from Staunton, an important railroad junction, on the south, to the Potomac, on the north, and accessible every few miles through passes from the country east and west, offered admirable hiding ground for a body of troops adapted to rapid movements. The valley is broken by several ranges of hills, one of which stands Winchester, thirty miles up the valley from the Potomac. Twenty miles farther up--i. e., south--near Strasburg, the valley is cut across by a fork of the river and Cedar creek, flowing in from the west, and here successive ridges, steep in places, form good battlegrounds. Again, thirty miles south, near Newmarket, a pass is formed by two forks of the river, bordered with mountains, the single valley pike being along exposed plains between. Staunton, at the head of the valley, is well covered from attack from the north by streams that wind around it on the north, east and west. Jackson's place of refuge would be Staunton, where re-enforcements from other armies could reach him and the railroads from the south could bring up military supplies. From this point he could play hide and seek in and out and up and down the valley.

## Jackson Plans a Coup.

When Banks crossed the Potomac early in March, 1862, to enter the valley the Confederates retired before him. Winchester was abandoned and to all appearance, Jackson was concentrating his men at the upper end of the valley. Banks then sent half his men, Williams' division, across the Blue Ridge to other scenes and ordered Shields with the remaining division to watch Jackson. It was now that the latter formed his plan to retake Winchester. On the morning of the 22d Jackson was near Strasburg, the second lodgment up the valley from the Potomac, and Shields, with three brigades, one of which was led by Colonel Nathan Kimball, was at the first lodgment, Winchester. The cavalry skirmishers of both sides were between. About 4 o'clock that day "Stonewall's" cavalry, under General Turner Ashby, advanced on Winchester and opened with cannon.

General Shields immediately moved out of his camps and drove Ashby away, but was himself temporarily disabled in the encounter. The troops led by Shields formed part of Colonel Kimball's brigade, and on returning from the front the general ordered Kimball to advance with all his force and take command at the front. On this incident of the wounding of Shields depended the fate of Jackson in his first independent battle. During the night Shields sent word to Kimball to move forward at daylight and drive off or capture Ashby.

**Kimball Seizes the Key to the Field.** Kimball went forward promptly along the valley pike leading south and

met the Confederates on the hills overlooking the little village of Kernstown, three and a half miles from Winchester on the lowlands of a little stream running at right angles across the main valley. Kimball planted a battery on one side of the pike and disposed his brigade on the other side and drove the enemy before him into the valley beyond the little stream. In this stroke the Confederates lost the key position, and Kimball proceeded to establish himself in it.

General Shields now sent word to his subordinate to advance. Colonel Kimball sent back answer that he had a strong enemy to contend with and needed re-enforcements. Shields again ordered an advance, even instructing Kimball to send a body of men with cannon to break through the enemy's center, divide his column and capture it in detail. Had Kimball obeyed he would have fallen into the trap Jackson was preparing for him. Kimball rightly believed that his superior, lying in his bed five miles distant, could not know what was taking place on the battlefield, and decided to hold his ground. He now had his own brigade and Colonel J. C. Sullivan's also. On learning of Kimball's decision General Shields sent up his other brigade under Colonel E. B. Tyler and left the affair wholly in the colonel's hands. The man who was to be pitted against "Stonewall" in the first battle of Winchester had not enjoyed the advantages of his opponent in military training. Jackson was a West Point officer who had seen much service. Kimball had been a volunteer captain in the Mexican war and as colonel in command of the Fourteenth Indiana had made one campaign in 1861.

## The Battle of Kernstown.

At midday Jackson had deployed his whole force of infantry across the valley south of Kernstown, with Ashby's cavalry for a movable column on his right flank. Kimball had his own and Sullivan's brigade deployed along the enemy's front, with the vale of the creek and the hamlet of Kernstown between. The Confederates opened the battle by attempting to rout Kimball by an assault on his left flank, using the cavalry as flankers and also to make a show of strength. Kimball sent out single regiments to meet the attack and repulsed it. Then Jackson resorted to those tactics which on other fields made him famous.

## A Stone Wall Rampart.

The field toward which Jackson's three Confederate brigades and Tyler's Federal command were hastening from opposite directions was a plateau presenting on its northern edge a line obliquing southeast and northwest to Kimball's position. Along this line was a stone wall, with broad, open fields south of it, where Jackson was advancing, and having on the north a strip of wood obscuring the view toward Winchester. When the Confederate line reached the stone wall and sent skirmishers into the wood Tyler's skirmishers were advancing to seize the vantage ground. Jackson's infantry and artillery combined now held off Tyler, and his batteries were also playing havoc with Kimball's line along the opposite side of the valley. Kimball's tactics were at this juncture unique. He had fought three inferior actions in order to hold the ground he then occupied and, with Ashby and he knew not how much besides standing ready to pounce upon him there, was loath to leave it undefended. His force was divided into eight regiments, and one by one these regiments were moved out by the right flank to the front of the Confederates to assist Tyler in maintaining his ground in front of the stone wall. The effect of this style of fighting had on the southerners is told in Jackson's report. He says that the repulsed Federal regiments with which he fought at the stone wall were replaced by fresh ones drawn from a large reserve.

## The Stone Wall Captured.

The Confederate General Garnett, whose brigade was in the center at the stone wall, believed that he was largely outnumbered because he saw six different Federal flags on his front. He also saw Federal cavalry moving around on his left flank, and this bugaboo was simply a few weak detach-

ments sent out by Kimball as flankers. However, Garnett abandoned the stone wall, and every effort put forth by the Confederate commander and his lieutenants to ward off disaster was unavailing. The Confederate troops on the left of Garnett, Fulkerson's brigade, were isolated by Garnett's withdrawal from the line, and the relentless activity of Kimball's men allowed no respite for the recovery of lost ground. The stone wall became the prize of the Federal men, as did also two of Jackson's cannon.

It was now nearing night, and Kimball's line was very much confused. On his new front there was a wide stretch of open ground with a wood on the hither side offering a good rallying point for Jackson. But his troops retreated to their trains, and Ashby's cavalry was drawn upon to do picket duty along Kimball's front.

In his formal official report Jackson wrote that though Winchester was not recovered and though the contested field remained in possession of the enemy, "yet the most essential fruits of the battle are ours." In a dispatch to General Johnston, dated March 24, he appealed for 5,000 more infantry, a doubling up of his force to aid him against Kimball alone should the latter advance. He was himself at that moment retreating south and in the same dispatch to Johnston added, "I will try and remain on this side Strasburg." Evidently "Stonewall" met his peer when accident threw him about of Colonel Kimball in his first Shenandoah campaign.

## Other Events of the Week.

On March 18 the Confederate gunboat fleet on the Mississippi river attacked the Federals at New Madrid, Mo. They were repulsed by General Pope's land batteries and Flag Officer Foote's ironclads. This sally of the Confederates was in retaliation of an attack made on the previous day by all the Federal ironclads and mortar boats. The new ironclad Benton, lashed between the Cincinnati and St. Louis, was on one side of the river, the Mound City, Carondelet and Pittsburg on the other. Fire opened at 1:20 on the rate of one gun a minute. The Confederates replied promptly and struck the Benton, but owing to the distance from which they were fired did but little damage.

During the action one of the rifled guns of the St. Louis exploded, killing and wounding several of the gunners. From this time on but little progress was made in the reduction of the Confederate works, the gunboats firing a few shots now and then at long range. The mortar boats were daily throwing thirteen inch bombs.

The advance guard of the Federal army of the Potomac sailed from Alexandria for the Yorktown peninsula for the purpose of attacking Richmond.

The question of the legality of the Federal blockade of southern seaports was settled in Europe by the acceptance of it by England on March 20. The law officers of the British government formally declared that it was efficient in the sense required by international law and therefore legal so long as the United States could maintain it.

March 22 the army of the Potomac, having been transferred by ships from Alexandria, Va., to Fortress Monroe, was getting ready to march toward Yorktown. Farragut was preparing to attack the Confederate forts at New Orleans with his warships or dash past them under fire. All of the vessels assigned to his command had arrived, including a fleet of mortar schooners. Only two of the big ships were able to cross the bar--namely, the Hartford and the Brooklyn. The navy department had made the mistake of sending warships of too heavy draft, and the bar delayed the progress of the fleet toward the forts twelve days. Meanwhile the Confederates worked day and night to strengthen their principal land defenses, Forts Jackson and St. Philip, on opposite sides of the river about half a mile apart.

In addition to these forts the Confederates had improvised a defense fleet, using for the purpose heavy tugs and



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COLONEL NATHAN KIMBALL, U. S. A., JACKSON'S OPPONENT AT KERNSKTOWN.

merchant steamers. They had two ironclad rams afloat, the Louisiana and the Manassas, the latter made out of a tugboat so heavily armored all over that she resembled a turtle. The fleet numbered about twenty vessels, mounting forty guns, which, with those of the forts, made an armament of 166 guns to oppose the 192 guns of Farragut's ships. At the outset Farragut's most formidable obstacle was the bar. It required eight days' hard work with six light draft steamers pulling at once to lift the frigate Mississippi over.

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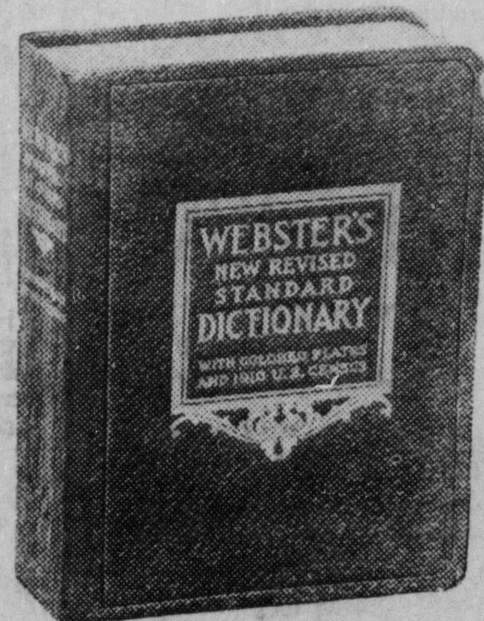
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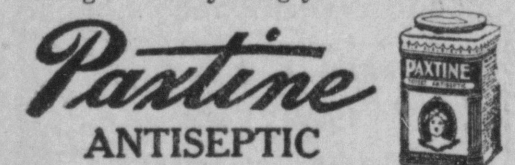
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CHAPTER XVI.  
A CONDITION.

LORD RONSDALE seemed almost to forget caution—almost, but not quite. Perhaps he was deterred by the look on John Steele's face—sneering, mocking, as if half inviting him to cast all prudence to the winds. This bit of evidence that he had not calculated upon—it was hard to give it up, but no other course remained. Besides, another—Gillett—knew of its existence. Lord Ronsdale felt he could not depend on that person in an emergency of this kind.

The nobleman moved toward the desk. The paper fluttered from his cold fingers. When once more John Steele buttoned his coat the affidavit had again found lodgment in his waistcoat pocket.

What John Steele said was for Lord Ronsdale alone. After Gillett had gone he laid down a condition.

"And if I refuse to let you dictate in a purely private concern?" Lord Ronsdale, white with passion, had answered.

"The end will be the same for you. As matters stand Sir Charles no doubt thinks still that you would make a desirable part for his niece. His wife, Lady Wray, unquestionably shares that opinion. Their combined influence might in time prevail and Jocelyn Wray yield to their united wishes. This misfortune," with cutting deadliness of tone, "it is obvious must be averted. You will consent to withdraw all pretensions in that direction or you will force me to make public this paper. A full exposition of the case I think would materially affect Sir Charles and Lady Wray's attitude as to the desirability of an alliance between their family and yours."

"And yourself? You forget," with a sneer, "how it would affect you?"

"Myself?" John Steele laughed. "You fool! Do you imagine I would hesitate for that reason?"

you're away?" began Captain Forsythe. "Command me if there is. Needn't say."

"There's only one thing," John Steele looked at him. His voice was steady, quiet. "And we've already spoken about that. You will let me know if Ronsdale doesn't keep to the letter of the condition?"

"Very well," Captain Forsythe's expression changed slightly, but the other did not appear to notice.

"I shall leave with you certified copies of all the papers," said Steele in a short, matter of fact tone. "These, together with the one you furnished me, are absolutely conclusive."

"The one I furnished you?" Captain Forsythe rested his chin on the knob of his stick. "Odd about that, wasn't it—that the day in the library at Stratford House, when I was about to tell you how I had better success the second time I visited the landlady, we should have been interrupted? And," looking at the other furtively, "by Jocelyn Wray." Steele did not answer. "If I had only seen the drift of your inquiries, had detected more than a mere perfunctory interest! With the confession given me on her deathbed by the landlady that she had testified falsely to protect her good for nothing son and acknowledging that another whom she did not know by name, but whom she described minutely, had entered the house on the fatal night—with this confession in your hands a world of trouble might have been saved. As it is," he ended half ruefully, "you have found me most unlike the proverbial friend in need, who is—"

"A friend indeed," said John Steele, placing a hand on the other's shoulder, while a smile somewhat constrained lighted his face for a moment, "who at once rose to the occasion, hastened to London on the receipt of a letter that was surely a test of friendship?"

"Oh, I don't know about that!" quickly. "Test of friendship, indeed?" Captain Forsythe looked slightly embarrassed beneath the keen searching eyes. "Don't think of it, or— Besides," brightening, "I had to come. Telegram from Miss Wray, don't you know?"

"Miss Wray?" Steele's hand fell suddenly to his side. He looked with abrupt, swift inquiry at the other.

Captain Forsythe bit his lips. "By Jove, forgot!" he murmured. "Was not to say anything about that."

"However, as you have"—John Steele regarded him steadily. "You received a telegram from—"

"At the same time that your letter intercepted me at Brighton?"

"Asking you to return to London?"

Rosemary Villa. Sir Charles behaved splendidly. "All right, my dear. Some day you'll tell me, perhaps," he said to her. "Meanwhile I'll possess my soul in patience." So while he smoked in the cab we talked it over.

"Well?" John Steele said shortly. "And the upshot of it all was—"

"She suggested my going to Lord Ronsdale."

"To invoke his assistance, perhaps?" Steele once more laughed. "As an old friend?" Captain Forsythe started to speak. The other went on, "Well, we'll keep his secret as long as he keeps his compact."

"But—"

"I promised. What does it matter? Sir Charles may be disappointed at not being able to bring about— But for her sake—that is the main consideration."

"And you, the question of your innocence—to her?" Forsythe looked at him narrowly, smiled slightly to himself.

"Is—inconsequential! The main point is—the Frisco Pet is dead. Gillett won't speak. You won't. Lord Ronsdale can't. Another to whom I am about to tell the story will, I am sure, be equally silent."

"Another?"

John Steele smiled. "Can you think of no one to whom I am bound to tell the truth, the whole truth? Who extended me his hand in friendship, invited me to his home? Of course it would be easier to go without speaking. It is rather difficult to own that one has accepted a man's hospitality stepped beneath his roof and sat at his board—as not to mince words—an impostor. I could have delegated you—to tell him all, but that wouldn't do. It is probably a part of the old, old debt, but I must meet him face to face. So I have sent for—"

A bell rang. A servant opened the door of the library. Sir Charles Wray walked in.

Below, in the cab, Jocelyn waited. Her pale face expressed restlessness. She held in her hand a bit of crumpled paper. It was John Steele's note to Sir Charles asking him to call, stating nothing beyond a mere perfunctory request to that end, giving no reason for his wish to see him.

"Can you drop in at my chambers for a few minutes?" John Steele had written. "A few minutes. The blue eyes shone with impatience. He was leaving London, Captain Forsythe had informed her, and she concluded, he wanted to see her uncle before he left. But not her; no. She had driven there, however, with Sir Charles on some light pretext—for want of something better to do—to be out in the air—"

"I'll wait here in the cab," she said said to her uncle when he had left before John Steele's dwelling. "At least," meeting the puzzled gaze that had rested on her more than once lately, "I may or may not wait. If I get tired, if when you come back you don't find me, just conclude," capriciously, "I have gone on some little errand of my own—shopping, perhaps."

She recalled these words now, found it intolerable to sit still. Abruptly she rose and stepped from the cab.

She half started to move away, looked toward the house. Brass plates variously disposed around the entrance and appearing nearly all alike as to form and size stared at her. One metal sign a shock headed lad was removing—"John Steele." She read the plain, modest letters, the inscription "Barrister" beneath. She caught her breath slightly.

"Uncle is certainly very long," she repeated mechanically.

"Why don't you go in and see what's detaining of him?" vouchsafed the caddy in amicable fashion as he regarded the hesitating, slender figure.

"Third floor to the right, miss," said the boy, occupied in removing the sign and stepping aside as he spoke to allow her to pass, "if it's Mr. Steele's office you're looking for. You'll see 'Barrister' in brass letters, as I said to the old gentleman. I haven't got at them yet—to take them down, I mean."

"Thank you," she said irresolutely and without intending to enter found herself within the hall. There a narrow stairway lay before her. He pointed to it, with an excess of juvenile solicitude and politeness, boyhood's involuntary tribute to youth and beauty in need of assistance. He told her to go on "straight up."

And she did unreasoningly, mechanically—one flight, two flights!

Near his door! About to turn, to retrace her steps, an illogical sequence to the illogical action that had preceded it, she was held to the spot by the door suddenly opening. A man—a servant, broom in hand—who had evidently been engaged in cleaning one of the chambers within was stepping out.

"You wished to see Mr. Steele?" The proud head nodded affirmatively to the inquiry.

"Well, you can be stepping into the library, miss," said the man. "Mr. Steele is engaged just now."

Jocelyn on the instant found no reason for refusing. The door closed behind her, and she looked around. She stood in a library alone. Beyond, in another chamber, she heard voices—her uncle's, John Steele's.

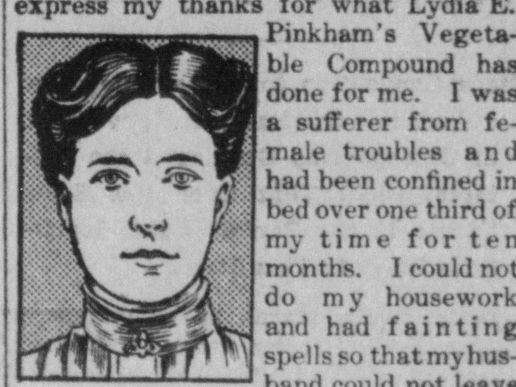
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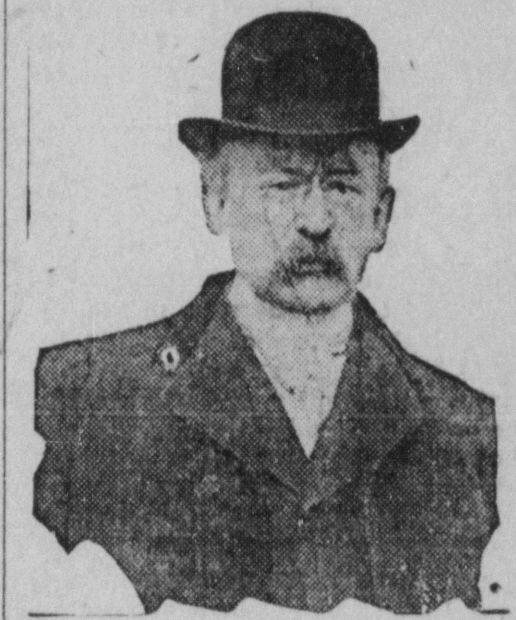
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Lv. Beehunter	7:30 a. m.	12:20 p. m.	7:05 p. m.
Lv. Elkhart	7:45 a. m.	12:35 p. m.	7:21 p. m.
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State Convention to Name Delegates at Large to the National Convention at Chicago Has Developed the Bit-terest Fight That Ever Has Been Waged in the Ranks of the Republican Party in This State.

Indianapolis, March 26.—Tomlinson hall was filled to its utmost capacity today when Fred Sims, chairman of the Indiana state Republican committee, brought his gavel down with a resounding bang, calling the Republican state convention to order. Much attention has been paid to the contest which has been waged in this state over the selection of delegates to the national convention, and everybody expected the warmest kind of a fight, and of course they all wanted to see it. Beside the 1,439 accredited delegates there were almost as many others who had been defeated in county contests who came expecting possibly to be seated as the result of many contests which had been filed before the credentials committee. Most of the alternates also had seized the opportunity to witness what promised to be a real Kilkeny affair, hence there was small chance for the mere onlooker to find a place in the historic old convention hall. Hundreds of these, however, managed to squeeze in, literally packing the hall to its farthest gallery. The Taft partisans and the Roosevelt partisans seemed about equally strong in lung power, and the alternate cheers of the rival claimants created a din such as seldom has been heard in that place of ingathering.

At the hour of convening there was no longer any question that Mr. Roosevelt's managers were contemplating a bolt and the selection by a rump convention of a contesting delegation. About the Roosevelt headquarters nothing had been heard except denunciations of the methods of Taft's supporters in the selection of delegates and the threat to hold a separate convention, after the committee on credentials had seated the Taft delegates. This purpose was further testified to by the fact that attorneys in the employ of the Roosevelt managers for hours had been busy making out affidavits for delegates who claimed that they were chosen but defrauded out of their rights. On the face of the exact returns from all the conventions and primaries Taft had 823 delegates in the convention and Roosevelt 605. There were contested seats ranging from 1 to 20 in numbers of counties and the contestants all came here making claims of fraud. No wonder there was interest in the meeting, and no wonder the crowd was looking for a fight. The program as "doped out" in advance has it that after the regular convention, controlled by friends of President Taft, has elected Charles W. Fairbanks, Harry S. New, James E. Watson and Joseph D. Oliver of South Bend as the regular delegates at large to the national convention, as planned, the defeated Roosevelt men will hold a rump convention in Tomlinson hall and select Albert J. Beveridge, Edwin M. Lee, Fred Landis of Logansport and Orin D. Brown of Terre Haute as their choice for delegates at large, in order to be able to carry a contest to the national convention.

Edwin M. Lee, the Roosevelt manager in this state, declined to make any statement for publication in regard to plans for the convention, or to say anything about what their strength would be on the floor, but Harry S. New, Republican national committee man and Taft manager for Indiana, made the following statement:

"There is no question in the world that the friends of President Taft will control the convention, with a majority of at least 150 delegates. I am not claiming anything that I am not sure we have won. This will mean that President Taft will get twenty delegates sure in Indiana, with a possibility of twenty-two."

Will R. Wood of Lafayette acted as temporary chairman of the convention and in addressing the delegates confined himself to safe, general principles of party policy and party achievement, carefully avoiding any reference to the intense partisan fight which has developed in the ranks of the party over the rival ambitions of Taft and Roosevelt. C. F. Bicknell of Fort Wayne was named for secretary, Clamor Pelzer of Boonville sergeant-at-arms, and Emmet F. Branch of Martinsville chief doorkeeper.

**Couldn't Endure Separation.**  
Evansville, Ind., March 26.—Grief over the death of his wife, four months ago, caused the death of the Rev. B. E. L. Condit, aged eighty, at the home of his sister at Tennyson, Ind. The Rev. Mr. Condit lived in Evansville and was one of the best known ministers in southern Indiana. A short time after the aged minister and his wife celebrated their sixtieth wedding anniversary, four months ago, Mrs. Condit died. He never rallied from the shock and prayed almost constantly for death, saying he wished to join his wife.

FRED SIMS.

Head of Indiana Republican State Central Committee.



## ANOTHER VICTIM OF HOLMES'S EVIL EYE

Arch Murderer's Blighting Curse Still Effective.

Philadelphia, March 26.—The prediction made nearly seventeen years ago by H. H. Holmes, the arch-murderer, that anybody having anything to do with his arrest, conviction or execution would meet an untimely death, either by their own hand or otherwise, is once again recalled. This time the victim is Richard Johnson, forty-eight years old, of Upland street, West Philadelphia, who committed suicide by inhaling illuminating gas. Johnson was a member of the jury which found Holmes guilty of murder in the first degree. Since the execution of Holmes on May 7, 1896, many persons who had connection with the famous murder case have either taken their own lives or met deaths of violence, their fates recalling the curse of Holmes, better known as the "murderer with the evil eye."

**Boy Scout Kills Another Boy.**  
New York, March 26.—Maitland Jarvis, a twelve-year-old boy scout, has been arrested charged with the shooting and killing of Henry Lockhardt, nine years old, in a vacant lot in the Bronx. Young Jarvis admitted that he had shot the other boy. "I had some trouble with boys who were throwing stones at me," he said, "and I shot one of them."

**Preparing For Big Flood.**  
Evansville, Ind., March 26.—This city is preparing for the greatest flood in years. Estimates are that the river will rise above forty-four feet some time this week. Flood warnings were sent to all the farmers along the river bottom, admonishing them to take every precautionary measure against the avalanche of water that is expected.

### TERSE TELEGRAMS

The Industrial Workers of the World have begun a relief fund to carry the striking Passaic textile workers through a long fight.

William Jennings Bryan, in the opinion of some Democrats in congress, is again maneuvering to corral the Democratic nomination for president.

Shot through the head and stabbed in the heart, an unidentified American about thirty years old, was dug from a snowdrift in Kansas City's Little Italy.

Revolutionists in the Kulja district of China have defeated the government forces with the loss of 1,500 men killed. The revolutionists had 200 killed.

"Put me down for Champ Clark," were the first words Jesse Grant, son of the famous general, said when he landed in Boston, after an eight-months' trip through England.

The great Lawrence strike, which brought in its train increased wages for 275,000 textile workers in New England, officially has been declared off at all the mills in Lawrence.

The report of the tariff board on the cotton schedule, which shortly will be sent to congress by the president, will warrant a reduction of about 30 per cent in the Payne-Aldrich tariff law rates.

The fruitless efforts of the British government to bring about an agreement between the coal operators and the striking miners, makes the strike situation seem worse confused than ever.

Mrs. Josephine Mabary of Los Angeles, mother of Mrs. Blanche Carson, who hanged herself in New York following her arrest on a smuggling charge, died when informed of her daughter's suicide. She was seventy-four years old.

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The Cree Indian girl is sought in marriage, not for love, but because she is strong and useful. The young brave who wishes to take her for his squaw is often faint-hearted, and frequently sends, by a disinterested person, or secretly leaves in her tent, a gaudy silk handkerchief, purchased from the Hudson Bay Company. When his intentions are thus declared he goes, shy and awkward, to the father, and asks for the hand of his daughter. Should the parent refuse consent to the union the undaunted wooer seeks a bride elsewhere. He never sulks or mopes; he never feels that his heart will break, but calmly selects and makes proposals for another maiden. Women are plentiful, and perseverance is sure to end in success.—Wide World Magazine.

#### Man Still in the Majority.

E. Dana Durand, discussing in the World's Work Immigration in relation to the census says that among the foreign-born whites in the United States in 1910 who had been in this country less than ten years, there were 155 males to 100 females. Of all foreign-born whites combined, the males numbered 7,522,000 and the females 5,821,000, or 129 males to each 100 females; in 1900 the proportion was 117. These figures contrast strikingly with the sex distribution of the native white population, in which there was 103 males per 100 females.

#### Modern Politics.

"Some years ago, when Mr. Roosevelt and I were boys together, he told me a story of his experience with a New York politician. This man was a Democrat who was working secretly for the election of a Republican. Mr. Roosevelt was surprised at this, but the politician explained: 'You are a young man, Mr. Roosevelt, but when you are as old as I am you will know that there is no politics in politics.' In other words, when it is a question of putting one's hand in the public's purse, the thin disguise of party and partisanship is laid off."—David Starr Jordan.

**Explanation Really Simple.**  
One sadly sees the setting sun  
And views his day's work with a sigh;  
Another drops his tools to run,  
Nor cares how little he has done.  
And people still go asking why  
Some men are down and some are high.  
—S. E. Kiser.

#### Stoics.

The founder of the Stoic School of Philosophy was Zeno, a native of Citium, in the island of Cyprus, born about 350 B. C. Stoicism was in many ways the noblest of all the philosophical systems of antiquity. Its most illustrious follower was the great and good Marcus Aurelius, whose "Meditations" have been the delight of the thoughtful for 1,800 years. The best book on the history and teachings of this renowned school is Zeller's "Stoics, Epicureans and Skeptics." Zeller leaves scarcely anything unsaid on the subject.

#### Gathering Data.

"The object of the average explorer seems to be to acquire enough material for a lecture." "Yes; that is my wife's aim when she explores my pockets."

Trustees Stewart and Steinwedel went to Brownstown to make their quarterly poor reports.

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**FOR RENT**—7 room house, gas and water. E. C. Bollinger. f27ttf  
Money to loan. U. F. Lewis. j16ttf

#### Seymour Temperatures.

The following are the maximum and minimum temperatures as shown by the government thermometers at the Seymour volunteer weather observation station and reported by J. Robt. Blair, observer. The figures are for twenty-four hours ending at noon:

Max.	Min.
March 26, 1912.	58 32

#### Weather Indications.

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#### TOOK THE DARE

These Town Officers Not Scared Off by Black Hand Threats.

Haverstraw, N. Y., March 26.—Last night six scared members of the board of assessors of this town and the mayor gathered in the town hall, rushed through the reappointment of John S. Oldfield as village clerk and then in a group escorted by both sheriffs, went to the mayor's house to talk over the threats that have been made against them should they reappoint Oldfield. For the past six weeks this town has been deluged by black hand letters addressed to the members of the board, to the mayor, to Mr. Oldfield, to the chief of police and to the editor of the Rockland County Times, a paper which has been supporting Oldfield for reappointment as village clerk.

The letters threatened that the writers would kidnap children of those addressed, would dynamite barns, set houses on fire and even commit murder unless Oldfield was dropped as village clerk.

Nobody paid any attention to the letters until Sunday night, when several attempts were made to fire the house in which Oldfield lives. The election of the village clerk came last night. There are those who thought it would be postponed by the assessors, but it was not.

#### Roosevelt on His Way.

New York, March 26.—Colonel Roosevelt will start on his western speech-making tour this evening, leaving New York over the Pennsylvania at 5:04. He will travel in a private car from Chicago on and make speeches from the back of the car as occasion serves. The colonel will return on Sunday afternoon.

#### Finds Diamond in Gizzard.

Lawrenceburg, Ind., March 26.—C. Reed, railroad conductor, lost a diamond valued at \$250 in his yard a few days ago. While dressing a chicken Mrs. Reed found the gem in the gizzard of the fowl. Conductor Reed had offered \$50 reward for the return of the diamond.

#### Defense Demands Acquittal.

New York, March 26.—There was a whole day of argument in the trial of John E. Parsons and the other officers of the sugar trust over motions made by the defendants that the jury be instructed to acquit without hearing a defense against the case presented by the government. Judge Hand, after listening all day to the reasons adduced for this, reserved his decision.

#### Stephenson Soon Will Know.

Washington, March 26.—A vote will be taken before adjournment in the senate today on the Stephenson case.

Frankie Burns, the eastern bantam, made a chopping block out of Willie Gibbs of Philadelphia in their fight at Memphis.

#### Must Appeal to the Family.

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